

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Anthony John FREEMONT *et al.*
Application No. : 10/590,508
Filed : November 30, 2006
For : TREATMENT OF SPINAL CONDITIONS

Examiner : Magdalene K. SGAGIAS
Art Unit : 1632
Docket No. : 69494-4
Date : June 22, 2009

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 23, 2008, which is being timely filed in light of the petition for a three-month extension of time submitted herewith, please consider the following remarks.